Local Protests About Denny Lyons Being Sent to the New York Baseball Club.

Proposed Receipt-Boxing

Contests.

MITCHELL IS QUITE SURPRISED.

MAHER'S OPINION OF JACK DEMPSEY

Thelps Talks About the Association-General Sporting News of the Day.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.-The sporting world will be astonished to hear that the police arthorities propose to effectively put a stop to all meetings of professional pugilists in this city. Madison Square Garden will no longer be a stamping ground for the star fighters of the world, as Superintendent Murray comes out this morning with a warning for the benefit of the public. He thinks that all persons will be foolish to give up good money to see a fight which must result in a take. The immediate effect of this announcement must be the selection of another place in which to hold the Corbett-Mitchell and Maher-Dempsey fights. Superintendent Murray said at length: A Veto on Fakes.

"Of late an attempt has been made on the part of professional pugilists to resurrect prize fighting in this city. Charles Mitchell, an Englishman, and James J. Corbett, of California, are advertised to meet in a contest to be held in Madison Square Garden in the early part of February. Another fight is announced to take place between Peter Maher, of Ireland, and Jack Dempsey, of Brooklyn. It will take place, the annonneement says, in the latter part of Jan-

These men will not be allowed to fight. If the public go there they will not get a return for their money. We can't prevent these men from sparring, but you can take my word for it, they will be very tame affairs. The moment the men attempt to fight I will arrest them. We have stamped out professional fighting in this city and are determined that it shall not be resurrected again. We will notify the men in person that they will not be allowed to fight and shall also notify the management of the Madison Square Garden. Will Averst All of Them,

Just as soon as there is a violation of the law the case will be presented the proper authorities. These fighters are straugers, and come here disturbing the peace of our city. I am determined to do verything in my power to prevent this siness from going on. They call these encounters scientific exhibitions, but they purely and simply prize fights." Under these circumstances Charlie Mitchell will be compelled to gather in good American dollars in some other town. public and would at once put a stop to it. In Jersey City past experiences will not be omforting to the pogilists when the future considered. Superintendant Murray said that the the New York Athletic Club canition to-night would not be interfered with, and that the intention only was to prevent professional fighters from fleering the public.

Corbett's Manager's Oninion W. A. Brady, Corbett's manager, said this afternoon that no action would be taken in the matter until Monday, "Then we will see if the police will allow the fight to go on," he said. "If not, of course the present arrangements between Mitchell and Corbett will be of. Corbett would do nothing against the orders of the police. He is ready, however, at any time to fight Mitchell to a finish before the athletic club largest purse. I think the Olympic Club of New Orleans would hang up \$15,000 for the fight if it could be ar-ranged for Mardi Gras week, which will be the latter part of February, Corbett would accept such an offer." Jere Duan also said that the fighters should now look around for some club, as it seemed that a public exhibition of the kind would not be tolerated in this vicinity. Neither Mitchell nor Corbett could be found at their

Couldn't See Murroy.

Nothing could be ascertained in regard to what would be done about the Maher-Dempsey contest, as both Billy Madden the National Club agrees to put up too small and Peter Maher are now in Philadelphia. Charley Mitchell and Frank Slavin called at police beadquarters to-day to sec Superintendent Murray, but the latter had gone home. Mitchell expressed disap-pointment at the Superintendent's action and described it as harsh. Mitchell thought some one in the sparring profession was responsible for it. Slavin secwled and, though he was disappointed also, held his tongue. Arthur Lumley said he thought it tongue. Aritur Lumley said he inought it was the direct result of the exhibitions by Peter Maher in Madison Square Garden, when he knocked out two men within five minutes. He did not see why the Corbett-Mitchell contest should not take place.

LOCAL BALL CLUB GOSSIP.

President Temple Will Protest Against the Taking Away of Lyons. President Temple, of the local ball club, states that he will contest the decree of the League committee, which takes from Pittsburg Denny Lyons and assigns him to New York. This is just what President

Temple, as a real out-and-out fighter for his cinb, should do, but it is difficult to see now he can make a better of it. Several days are it was stated, exclusively in this paper so far as local papers were concerned, what the committee in question intended to do regarding unclaimed players. President Young stated emphatically that all players not burgained for elaimed that all players not bargained for, claimed or signed by clabs on or before December 5 would be assigned by the committee. The latter were given absolute power to distribute or assign players, and how their decisions can be changed or overraled is something that an ordinary trick does not explain. President Temple has written President Young on the subject but for President Young on the subject, but if an advisory letter can change the decision of a committee there is little to be said in behalf

committee there is little to be said in behalf of that committee. Light or wrong that committee's decision will probably have to stand until the Lengue, the power that made the committee, shall make a change.

The truth is that from beginning to end blunders were made regarding the signing of Lyons. He could have been signed by the local club weeks before the date of December 5 if good executive judgment had been displayed, and now that it is found a mis take has been made, it may be useless to cry over "split milk." Even if Lyons does not come here there will still be a team, and a good one, and whether or not the Committee on Players has made the diabolical steal credited to them can only be proven when predited to them can only be proven when ill the facts of the case are known. At best it is only a "tempest in a teapot" noise.

But President Temple in a conversation very pointedly remarked that while a strong club like Boston requested three players and secured them. Pittsburg's request for two players had been cut down to one; that is, a

players had been cut down to one; that is, a weak team like Pittsbury's had only been assigned one player, while three had been asked for. This is one of the matters that the "distribution committee" must explain along with the other matter of giving Lyons to New York.

Pritchard May Accept. New York, Dec. 26 .- [Special.] -- The following special cable was received at the Pplice Gozette office to-day: "London, Dec. 26.-The Olympic Club, of New Orleans, has offered led Pritchard his expenses to go to New

WONT ALLOW FAKES.

A VERY POOR LOT

at once a singularly happy and unfortunate adage to quote apropos our sculling situation. It comes in most appositely. The pity is 'tis truly applicable to our povertystricken estate. Old 'uns who were boat racing in the days of Thames' acknowl edged and fairly earned supremacy, not to mention the era when Thames and Tyne's picked pro's beat each other, but were cerminly equal to setting intruders from foreign parts, feel pretty miserable now-if, that is, they are not past all feeling one way or the other, and are absolutely callous. or the other, and are absolutely callous. We have not one good man a the whole country—a good one, that is, judged by fair standard—and the old pastine is as nearly dead as makes no matter. Quite a fees has been made recently because in a so-called champiohship sculling race on the Tyne William East beat George Perkins, the loser being so palpably out of trim that one wondered the final deposit was made on his account. Perkins' defeat was all in the fortune of war, and I would be the last to find fault with him or his backers for seeing the ault with him or his backers for seeing the match through, although the man's condi-tion was dead against him. East deserves oredit for getting himself as fit as he could. His backers are to be congratulated on winning. Further, we ought perhaps to rejoice ning. Further, we ought perhaps to rejoice because in our present lamentably one-eved state the best of our extremely had lot can get up a match and a little mild excitement among themselves. But it does seem playing the business low down to treat it all au grand serieux and sing "Hail to the Chief," play "Rule, Britannia," "See the Conquering Hero Comes," and all about such a job as this.

MAHER'S OPINION. The Irish Champion Thinks He Can Teach

Demokey a Lesson. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26 .- [Special.]-Pete Maher, the Irish champion, who has relatives and friends residing in Philadelphia, came over from New York to spend Christmas with them, and a right merry time he had, for they regard the handsome young Galway nan as something far removed from the common herd, and pay homage to him It was in the center of a score of these ad-

mirers that a reporter found Peter yester-day morning, with whom he had the following conversation:
"Well, Peter, I see you have been matched to box tour rounds with Jack Dempsey on

January 14."
"Yes, Madden telegraphed the news to "Yes, Madden telegraphed the news to me," replied Maher.
"You'll find Dempsey a far different sort of man from any you've met so far, in America," mentioned the reporter.
"My friends have just been telling me about him," said Maher, "and I can't imagine how such a small man will go up against a big tellow like me."
"He's a good one, though, Peter," put in one of the bystanders.

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"All right," exclaimed Maher, smiling.
"I've met good ones before, and I'll try and teach him a lesson."

"Take care he don't teach you one," said a relative of the Irshman, warningly.
"It's not the likes of him that can make me lose any rest," muttered Maher, with a toss of his head. "When I box a man I don't go to sleep, so it will be as well for Mr. Dempsey to be at his best."

PHELPS HAS NO FEARS.

Confident the League Entered Into the

Agreement in Good Faith, LOUISVILLE, Dec. 26 .- [Special.]-A special received here last night states that Tom The Brooklyn authorities are on record as being opposed to professional fighting in was assigned to Louisville, had signed to play with Philadelphia, but the Louisville management attach little importance to the report. A special received here also says that the League is endeavoring to give the tour Association clubs the worst of it. Ex-President Phelps said this afternoon: "The story of the League's alleged inten-

they entered into the new Learne with the greatest good trith and that they have never had any thought of using the scheme simply for the purpose of breaking up the Association. Even if they had such an intention, however, they would be simply powerless. Some of the best lawyers in the country have pronounced the articles of agreement absolutely binding and declare that there is no way of any club's escaping its provisions. The League clubs cannot do anything to force any club to drop on , as the weakest club in the League has the same powers and privilege as the strongest. Of course I do not believe the report of Tom Brown's sign-ing with Philadelphia. He was assigned to Louisville. I was one of the committee that made the assignment, and I do not see how he can get out of playing with the Louis-

WANTS MORE MONEY.

Parson Desires a Purse of \$10,000 for Hal and Pritchard. Parson Davies, in reply to the offer of the National Club, England, for a fight between

Hall and Pritchard, writes as follows:
"Your letter in regard to the proposed in ternstional match between Ted Pritchard by one-half. The club is giving \$10,000 to Peter Jackson and Frank P. Slavin to fight 29 rounds, but a much larger offer could have been got from clubs here. If Hall goes to England to fight Pritchard the National Club will have to allow Hall expenses and

put up a larger purse.

'In rean d to the offer of Pritchard's backer to bet £590 on the result, I do not consider that would be equitable, as Pritchard is certain to be the favorite at least 10 to 7, and I want to be allowed to bet my money at ruling odds."

A Man Postug as Colonel North.

(BY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.)
LONDON, Dec. 26.—When William Easton, the New York horse dealer, arrived in London this week he was much surprised to learn that Colonel North, the nitrate king and race horseman, was in England. Easton says that just before he left New York a man calling himself Colonel North, who was believed to be the celebrated millionaire, had been cutting a wide swath there, and at last accounts was visiting a well-known meing man at his stock farm in Tennessee. Colonel North told The Disparch reporter that any such person was an imposter, as the Colonel has not been in America for two

Guttenberg Winners, GUTTENBERG, N. Y., Dec. 26.-The rain did not improve matters here. The track resembled a water course more than a race

course to-day. It was several inches under water, and only a glimpse of land could be seen in high places.

First race, five furiouss—Ballarat first, Lillian second, Laliah thrial, Time: 1:24
Second race; six furlongs—P Howard first, Graduate second, Glennound third. Time: 1:192, Third race, one mile—War Duke first, Gloster second, Duke John third. Time: 1:48.

Fourth race, five furlongs—Peruvian first, Runcocass econd, Badge third. Time: 1:04.

Fifth race, six furlongs—Quarter Master first, Merry Duke second, Brooklyn third. Time: 1:193, Sixth race, one mile—Florimer first, Mabel Pomeroy second, John Hickey third, Time: 1:50. seen in high places.

Who Wants to Fight. "Chappie" Moran has issued the following

world to fight to a finish for a reasonable purse, under the management of any reputable club or backer.

I claim the F5-pound championship of America, and I am ready to defend my claim against all com-

Murphy Weakens.

Boston, Dec. 26 .- Johnny Murphy, of this city, to-day declined to carry out the agreement for him to fight Cal McCarthy, of New York, at the Olympic Club, New Orleans, for \$2,000. The only reason he gives is that he does not want to fight McCarthy.

Baseball Notes. Ir Lyons does not play in Pittsburg next season we will still have a team.

Ton Bhown is disgusted at eyen the idea of playing in such a place as Louisville. THERE are nine States and the District of Columbia represented in the new League. Ex-Manager Hanton thinks that we will have a team far above the average next year, CHARLEY FARMELL doesn't like the idea of playing with Pittsburg, to which club he has been al-

Our club may have a reasonable kick against the committee who have been distributing players, but what can we do? Orienns to fight Bob Fitzsimmons for a purse of \$12,000 and the middle-weight championship belt. Pritchard has to appear in burg club that is all the more reason why earlier

court on January 12 to answer for assault and earnest efforts should have been made to seather the trial. It is probable he will accept the offer." PAT POWERS, who "sneaked" Jack Boyie in a very Chinese-like manner, Isid a plan to nail Dan Brouthers, but John B. Day wired him to keep away from the Mayor of Wappinger Falls.

General Sporting News.

THE New York police are evidently down on the "receipt" business. TOMMY HOGAN and Tommy White will box cight rounds in Chicago in three weeks' time. G. T. W.—The address of the secretary of the Ellsworth Athletic Club is C. Schmitt, 25 River avenue, Allegheny,

AUSTIN GIBBONS and Andy Bowen will fight at New Orleans before the Metropolitan Club on Tuesday night. Bowen is the favorite. NITCHIE GOLDEN, the ex-pugilist, who for two cears has been a Camden policeman, was overcome on the street vesterday by an attack of vertigo. TOM MCMANUS says he is prepared to meet any lichtweight in America for a purse or stake. Mc-Manus fought two draws with Jimmy Carroll and one with La Blanche.

ANOS CAMPBELL, Louisville, has sold to Will S. Barnes, Lexington, for his new Melbourge stud, the stallion Jim Gore, by Hindoo, dain Katle by Imp. Phaeton, for 88,006. BILLY MYER is home. He says: "Most of my work was done in ouncaing Carroll in the hody with my left. I knocked him down six threes. One of the six was partly a slip, but five were clean knock downs."

A PATEON of the McDonald football team asks the managers of the Pittsburg football team to put up a forfeit for the latter team to play the Mo-Donalds. If a forfeit is put up it will be covered. Now, here's a chance.

ALICE ROBSON, the female pedestrian, and her bushand called at this office has night to make a match to run Aggle Harvey a race of 100 miles. The latter did not suppear. Mrs. Robson wants nobody to 'make bluffs' in future without putting up the

meney.

Til: California pecule are trying to get on a much between liawkins, a Paelie slope pupilist, and callaghan, a young Englishman, who recouly defeated Wille Kenuy, of Jersey City. Joe Early has answered the letter, and if a suitable place is offered Early will start west with Callaghan and Billy Dacey, his trainer.

The indivioual records of Princeton's eleven have just appeared. Captain Warren is the only man who placed in every game during the senson, Vincent coming next with only two absences. The report shows that Princeton made 39 points, against 9 by her appearents. Sixty-cipht touchdowns were made, from which 54 goals were kicked. Bergen made 15 of the touchdowns, Wood 11. Warren, Symmes and Vincent are the only men who falled to get the ball over the line.

MAURICE DALY, the New York billiurdist, will

men who falled to get the ball over the line.

MAURICE DALY, the New York billiurdist, will sail for Earope the latter nart of Januaryand bring back with him a French player, either Piot, Glinin, Garnier or Beau, and inaugurae a series of 14-inch balk line tournaments, to be played in New York, Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati and New Orleans. It is proposed to ask for a certain amount of momey from each city in which a tournament takes place, and this, with the gate money, will be divided among the players according to their standing at the close of the tournaments. An emblem will be awarded to the player winning the greatest number of games.

EIGHT HOURS IN A WELL.

Remarkable Tenacity of Life in a Philadelphia Youngster-An Uncatural Mother's Vain Attempt to Get Rid of an Unwelcome Christmas Present.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26 .- An almost incredible instance of endurance on the part of a newly-born child was shown yesterday afternoon by the complete resuscitation of a little babe after it had lain in a well for more than eight hours with nothing around it to protect it from the cold-but an old sack and a few rags. There was but little hope for its recovery for a long time, but by careful nursing it was brought around, and at a late hour last night was sleeping beside its mother in the Philadelphia Hospital as peacefully as if its short existence in a cold and heartless world had been surrounded with all the comforts and luxuries to be ob-

Shortly after 2 o'clock vesterday after noon a citizen had his attention attracted by a peculiar noise which he at first thought was made by a kitten in distress. On mak ing an examination, he saw a suspicious looking bundle lying in an adjoining well He was not long in satisfying hemself tha the sounds came from the mysteriou bundle, and he at once notified Patrolman

LeCompt, of the Twenty-fifth district.

After considerable difficulty the officer succeeded in fishing up the bundle, and on opening it found a male child so nearly frozen to death that he was barely able to make a noise. He was carried into an adjoining house, where willing hands went to work to bring back life into the little body, and after two hours of hard work they were rewarded with success, and the stranger gave unmistakable evidence that he was ready and willing to break his fast, and his kind

their proffered hospitality. In the meantime word was sent to the statio: house and officers were detailed to search for the mother. On visiting the house on Dickinson street, they found Annie Harmon, 22 years old, who had been boarding at the house for a few days, and she was arrested on suspicion of being the mother. She was taken to the station house. She denied positively in the face of the evidence against her that the child was hers, but finally broke down and made a

She said her home was in Lewiston,
Del., and that she had come to this city
about three months ago and had been employed as a servant in different families.
She said her baby was born about 9 c'look
Thursder night and between 5 and 6 c'clock Thursday night, and between 5 and 6 o'clock resterday morning she wrapped him in an old potato sack and tied it up with an old apron and some rags and threw him into the well.

A DIVORCE IN FIVE MINUTES. The Remarkable Pull a Woman Had in a St. Louis Court.

St. Louis, Dec. 26.-The value of a pull was forcibly illustrated in the manner in which the divorce suit of Mrs. Annie J. Swart, editor of Chaperones, was conducted, She is also publisher of Time. Her suit was filed in August last and divorce granted on December 10 by Judge Valliant, but outside of a few intimate friends no one knew of the matter. The fact was brought to the surface by the marriage of Mrs. Swart to her business manager, Frank Orff, which

occurred Thursday evening, and the couple left for an extended trip to the East.

An examination of the records showed when suit was filed, but close examination showed that letters in the name had been changed, and in both cases where it appeared it was marked on docket as sent to court room No. 3, but was tried in No. 5. The trial occupied just five minutes, and none of the reporters of the Court House caught the item, which is supposed to be written in the minute book. Mrs. Swart's attorney acknowledged that the name was written so that it would read Smart, instead of Swart, as the lady was very desirous of keeping the matter quiet.

CUPID FOOLED BY TINTYPES.

The Couple Were Aged, but They Sent Pictures That Didn't Show It. CHICAGO, Dec. 26.-Thomas Maxwell, of Austin, Tex., owner of a cattle ranch, and with a hankering after a wife, read a Chicago advertisement to the effect that "a young, handsome brunette, 20 years of age, of lively disposition, wished to correspond with a wealthy gentleman, with a view to

matrimony."

He wrote to the "young, handsome brunette," and sent her his portrait taken years and years ago. He's 60 now, but that picture didn't show it. The "young brunette" is venerable Belle Taylor, spinster, of Green Bay, Wis. She wrote to Maxwell, sending him her youngest sister's portrait as her

As a result the old goose and gander came together in Chicago yesterday, each bent on marrying a young partner. Each hissed contempt at the other's actual age as dis-closed, and each went home wishing that a suit for false pretenses could win in such a

Bushels of Dead Fish Found. MAY'S LANDING, N. J., Dec. 26.-A large woods pond known as Hay Pond,

which has been standing for many years near Egg Harbor City and covers several acres of land, has no outlet and is fed by rains. Owing to the extreme dryness for the past several months the pond has dried up, and while walking through the same yesterday, Martin Hand, who resides at Carmentown, discovered bushels of dead fish, known as pickerel, carp and catish. Some of the fish measured 12 inches in length and weighed from one to three

PITTSBURG

Three of the Perkins Agency Must the sharpers. Spend 60 Days in Durance, and

PAY A FINE AND COSTS BESIDES.

They Were Tried for Filling Their Prey

With Sunday Liquor.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.) NEW CASTLE, Dec. 26.-Messrs. E Booth Todd, T. J. Work and James Carey, three detectives employed by the Perkins Detective Agency, of Pittsburg, were to-day sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 and costs and

undergo imprisonment in the Allegheny

workhouse for 60 days. The men were found guilty of furnishing liquor on Sunday and against Carey was the additional charge of furnishing liquors to minors, he receiving a sentence of 60 days on the latter charge. The three detectives admitted their guilt, but said they were endeavoring to detect criminals and had the right to give liquors to extort confessions. Judge Hazen said in answer to their plea, that he knew of but one man who could furnish liquor on Sunday, and that was by a regular practicing physician on a prescription. Attorneys for the defense then made application for an arrest of judgment, and also for a new trial, but both motions were

The Origin of the Action.

These liquor cases grew out of the arrest of two Italians and a young boy named Wright, charged with attempting to wreck trains on the Pittsburg and Western Railroad. The arrests were based on charges made by the detectives, that the men had confessed, as one of them testified, the Italians speaking to them in English. It was shown at the trial, however, that neither of the Italians could speak a single word of English, and, therefore, could not have conessed. The prisoners were discharged, but the detectives found themselves under arrest charged with giving out liquors on the Sab-bath. It was shown that they had dealt out liquor liberally and indiscriminately to both

d and young. The detectives were brought here by the Pennsylvania Company, who will take their cases to the Supreme Court. Meanwhile the trio are in jail here, and will all be landed in the workhouse Monday morning. The Italians and the Wright boy are pre-paring to bring civil actions for damages against both the Perkins Agency, of Pittsburg, and the Pennsylvania Company.

The detectives in this case were the prosecutors in the New Lisbon case, in which young Canfield was acquitted of the charge of train wrecking this week. The people of that part of Ohio are agitating the prose-cution of the detectives on the charge of conspiracy.

Superintendent Wier's Opinion,

Superintendent of Police Wier heard of the conviction at New Castle, Pa., of the | Sunday. three Perkins detectives with evident satisfaction. "That Judge knew his business," Mr Wier said. "It is unfortunate that the jury could not have returned a verdict of first degree murder against those young fel-lows. I have watched their trial with great interest. I think their crime of forcing a false statement from persons they had accused of a crime was a high-handed outrage, and their conviction only satisfies the law in part. It will be a positive lesson to the fellows who travel over the country and, under a mistaken idea of the law, com-

for themselves for some consideration. "These private detectives, as a rule, are dangerous people. They are responsible to nobody. When they hear of a case they go to the party aggrieved and contract to couvict somebody of the crime for so much money. Then they start out and the most convenient persons are likeliest to become their prey. They fix upon some unfortu-nate and weave about him evidence of their own making. They supply whisky to their intended victim and they resort to every ex-pedient to attain their object. Then they go into court and swear to anything or everything. With them it is no case no money and they rarely fail in making both.

"The law creating these private detectives is at fault. There should be the strictest rules as to granting license to private detectives. Of course there are many good, reliable private detectives, but under the system now in use fellows who are too dangerous to secure any other kind of work get into these agencies. What is needed is a more careful system of licensing pri-

M'KEESPORT MATTERS.

A Boy Fatally Kicked by His Gun-The

Eisteddfod Claim First Prize. MCKEESPORT, Dec. 26. - [Special.]-Archie, a 14-year-old son of Wesley Altman, of Lincoln township, near Boston, was probably fatally injured while firing off a gun to-day. He picked up a heavily loaded gun and fired both barrels at once. The gun kicked and the end of the stock struck the boy in the mouth, crushing in his face, besides fracturing his jaw bone. Tube City Choral Union, of McKeesport, which was given the \$100 prize at the Eisteddfod held at Pittsburg, will make an appeal on the decision by which it did not secure first prize, the members being of the pinion that they were not fairly dealt with in being awarded the second prize.

HE EMBEZZLED ONE CENT.

A Country Postmaster Avoids Trouble by

Refunding It When Demanded. PENFIELD, PA., Dec. 26 -[Special.] That Ohio ex-postmaster who has a draft for 6 cents from the Postoffice Department, is outdone. Allen H. Rosenkrans, postmaster here under Cleveland, at the close of one quarter took credit for one-half a cent due the Government in calculating commissions, and on another quarter of the

year he did the same,
When his accounts were sudited the Treasury Department notified Mr. Rosenkrans that he owed the United States 1 cent. This amount was immediately remitted by him to Pittsburg, the proper receipt returned, and the 1 cent draft forwarded to Washington.

Successful Young Thieves Caught, SCRANTON, Dec. 25.-Frank Geise and George Thurber, aged 14 and 15 respectively, are in the county jail charged with wholesale thieving. Their operations ex-tended over several months. Owing to the fact that they were so young they were never suspected. They were particularly clever at shoplifting, and the number of the town ran up into the hundreds. The police finally obtained a clew which led to

their arrest. Even their parents were not free from the operations of the boys. Pittsburg Gas Men to the Rescue WHEELING, Dec. 26.-[Special.]-A company of responsible Pittsburg men, with 1,500 acres of gas lands leased near Wheeling, has offered, if the present trouble with the Natural Gas Company of West Virginia is not adjusted, to take the company's franchise, and sell gas at 15 cents a 1,000 feet, and fulfill its agreement to furnish the city gas for the gas and water works, garbage crematory, engine house and other public buildings.

A Bunkoed Victim Owns Up in Church. CANTON, Dec. 26.-[Special.]- Herman Schriver, who was bunkoed out of \$5,500 by three-card monte men, has made a public | ter is ove

confession of fault required by the Lutheran Church, of which he is a member. It is understood he has placed the case in the hands of Detective Norris, who is to receive

A YOUNG GIRL'S SUICIDE. After a Spat With Her Lover She Takes

half of the amount if he succeeds in locating

DISPATCH, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1891.

Rough on Rats. ROCHESTER, PA., Dec. 26.-Miss Mollie Ritchev committed suicide Christmas morning. She was in her 18th year and was employed as a domestic by the Misses Portland, of Freedom. On Christmas Eve the girl, who was rather handsome and of a SUPERINTENDENT WEIR ON THE CASE lively disposition, attended a ball in Freedom. She returned with others between 2 and 3 o'clock yesterday morning and retired. Soon afterward her mother heard the girl moaning in distress. A physician was summoned, but without avail, and the girl died about six hours later. A tin cup, i., which

about six hours later. A tin cup, h. which a quantity of rough on rats had been mixed, was found by the mother, with evidence that a portion of it had been taken.

The girl assigned no reason for the deed. In a pocket of the sacque she had worn at the ball her mother found a card upon which had been hastily scrawled the following. ing: "Well, my dear mother, I will leave you to-night and I hope you will not think about it. It's all on William Neubig; he did draw a gun on me so I will go to - (word erased) so bye to all." No signature was appended, but the writing is that of the suicide. The William Neubig referred to is a young compositor in a job printing office here. He had been paying attention to the girl, but ceased some time since for the alleged reason that she attended a party some weeks ago contrary to his wishes and her promise. Neubig denies having threatened to shoot the girl.

NOT SILVER. BUT COAL.

The Labor of Digging for the Precious Metal Is Not Altogether Lost.

ZANESVILLE, Dec. 26.-[Special.]-New York and Zanesville capitalists have secured options on about 2,000 acres of coal lands in the vicinity of Chaudlersville. This coal was discovered in 1829, but was allowed to lie untouched until its existence was almost forgotten. A pioneer of this place, after whom the place was named, sank a salt well there. Some time after a physician from this city named Conant secured some of the borings, and on making an analysis found traces of silver.

A company was organized, a shafting unk and a drift made to the well. An oldfashioned flaxseed bag plugged the hole, and the sinking of the shaft continued. At the depth of 125 feet a vein of coal seven feet thick was discovered, but no silver Blasting was resorted to, which dislodged the flaxseed and the shaft was flooded. Lately a shaft was sunk again, which reestablished the fact of the existence of an excellent vein of coal, and a company has oceu formed to mine it.

A Man Crushed by Mill Shafting. MORGANTOWN, Dec. 26.-[Special.]-At Il o'clock to-day James H. Winger, formerly a well-known cigar manufacturer and one of the finest cornet players in the State, was instantly killed by having his clothing caught in a shaft at the Victor Elevator Mills. He will be buried by the Masons

A Wilkesbarre Jeweler Falls. WILKESBARRE, Dec. 26.-The store o W. H. Dewitt, jeweler, was closed by the Sheriff this evening on \$8,000 preferred judgments issued in favor of H. M. Dewitt, a relative. It is said Dewitt is heavily in debt to New York and Philadelphia creditors. Assets not known.

Drank Polsoned Cough Syrup, CANTON, Dec. 26. -[Special.]- The 3 vear-old son of John Moeglin drank a large quantity of cough syrup. The syrup confect, despite medical aid.

Louisville Man of Means Commits Suicide to Join His Only Relative. LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 26.-Henry Hargrave, a middle aged man of consider able means, disappeared this morning, leaving a note behind which indicates that he has committed suicide on account of grief for his mother, who died recently. ADJES-Your faded switches, waves, wigs, etc., can be restored to original color by new process, white a specialty. Send or bring to Room 204, second floor, Hamilton building, 91 Fifth av. Hargrave and his mother, Mrs. Quigley, lived alone in a little cottage on Guthrie street. They had no visitors and but few LADIES-The J. Y. Borden (patent) bang is wonderful invention. acquaintances among the neighbors, seeming to be absorbed in the affection for each other and preferring their hermit-like ex-

fects of old age. Her son was overwhelmed with grief and repeatedly declared that he wanted to die. A few days ago he was attacked with pneumonia, and a friend came up to wait on him. Yesterday afternoon, about dark, Hargrave insisted on the watcher taking a walk. When the latter returned the bed was empty and the sick man gone. has failed to find any trace of him, and it is believed that his mind became unbalanced through grief, and that he has drowned himself in the river. He left a note stating that he had gone to join his mother, and

istence. About two weeks ago, Mrs. Quig-ley, who was 81 years old, died from the ef-

giving directions for the disposition of his THE WEATHER,



property.

For Western Pennsylva GCOLD nia, West Virginia and Ohio: Fair, Except Light Snows on the Lakes; Colder, Except in Extreme Western Portion of Extreme Western Portion of Ohio, Stationary Temperature, West Winds; Generally Fair Monday.

TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL. PITTSBURG, Dec. 26. - The United States Weather ureau officer in this city furnishes the following: 52 Maximum temp... 51 Minimum temp...

RIVER NEWS AND NOTES.

Louisville Items-The Stage of Water and

the Movements of Boats. PERCHAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH.

INPECTAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH. I
LOUISVILLE, Dec. 26.—Business good. Weather
cold and clear. Hiver rising, with 6 feet 8 inches
on the falls, 9 feet in the canal and 18 feet below.
The funeral of the late Captain Gilmore took place
this morning and was largely attended.
The Percy Kelsey passed up from Cairo to Pittsburg this morning. The Sherley is running in the
place of the Kanawha, the latter having laid up
for repairs. The Mariner and tow ussed up from
Cairo to Pittsburg this morning. The Onward and
Sunlight are due down with tows. Departures—
Big Sendy, for Cincinnati; Sherley, for Carrollton;
James Guthrie, for Evansville.

What Upper Gauges Show. ALLEGHENY JUNCTION-Piver 13 feet and sta-onary. Cloudy and coid. The News From Below.

NASHVILLE-River rising; 17 feet 6 inches. Clear and colder.
WHEELING-River 14 feet 9 inches and rising.
Departed-Courier, for Pittsburg; Scotia, for Cin-Departed—Courier, for Pittsburg; Scotia, for Cincinnati.

MEMPHIS—River 10 feet and rising. Departed—Ohio, for Cincinnati: Coal City, for New Orleans. Arrived—Lighthouse tender Joseph Henry, from New Orleans: Oscoola, from Greenville; Patrol left for Piumb Point. Clear and cool.

ST. LOUIS—No arrivals. Departed—City of Savannah, for Memphis. River rising; the gauge marks show 5 feet 6 inches. Cold and clear.

CINCINNATI—River 15 feet 8 inches and falling. Cloudy and cold. Departed—Hadson, for Pittsburg: Buckeye State, for Memphis.

UAISO—Arrived—New South, from Cincinnati; Gould and Dillon, from St. Louis. Departed—H. M. Hoxie, for New Orleaus. River 16.8 feet and rising. Clear and cold.

NEW ORLEANS—Departed—Kate, State of Kansas, for Cincinnati. Clear and cool.

Advice That Is Seasonable Chienged Inter-Ocean, 1 Don't grumble at the weather. It will be on hand in quantities to suit before the win600D GRIP WEATHER.

MICROBES HAVING A FINE TIME THIS GREEN CHRISTMAS.

A Thousand Cases at Montreal-Nine Death Reported at Boston-The Disease Works With Others-Pretty Cold Out West but In Which Drs. Cop 1 nd, Hall and Moderating Now.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] Boston, Dec. 26.-Nine deaths from the grip in this city were reported at the office of the Board of Health during the week just ended, and the opinion of physicians is that the present weather is not especially beneficial in the way of killing the microbes. The number of deaths for the week, how ever, is still more than 100 under the number for the high water mark of the grip epidemic of two years ago. The grip attacks old persons principally and in cases where victims are suffering from other diseases it secures an especial distressing

The number of cases of diphtheria reported shows a decrease in that disease, l here were 26 extra deaths from pneumonia. But three of the nine deaths from the grip resulted from that disease alone; the other six deaths resulted from complications with other diseases. Scarlet fever is also quite prevalent, but in a mild form.

A dispatch from Montreal says: The grip has a firm foothold in Montreal and now claims 1,000 cases. It affects its victims in a different way than before-pains in the stomach and headache, followed by weakness in the lower limbs—but the attack only lasts in most cases from four days to two weeks. The street railway company, the police force and the fire brigade are the chief sufferers. Out of 375 men on the police force 55 are laid up with it. A dispatch from Philadelphia says: The

has reached the large figures of 725, the ifeaviest ever known. This is an increase over the previous week of 103, and more than 100 in excess of the corresponding period of last year. The normal death rate here is about 400 per week.

A dispach from Huron, S. D. says: Yes, o-day's wind and snow storm abated about midnight last night and the mercury went

down several degrees. It was 200 below

death rate in this city for the past six days

zero at daylight, the lowest this winter. It has been intensely cold all day, but is more moderate to-night. Dispatches from other points of the West say the thermometer is about as low as it has been this season, but the indicat ons are for a change for the warmer. This gives little hope to the districts affected by the grip.

The Cold Wave Comes at Last, The promised cold wave struck Pittsburg esterday. The change was decidedly sudden. In the morning overcoats were searcely necessary, but by sundown cold winds were whistling about the streets and everybody was shivering. During the evening the temperature dropped to 31° and kept going down.

Ocean Steamship Arrivals Steamer. Where From. Destination. Netherland.....Antwerp... Wisconst n. Livernoul

MEETINGS.

A LL MEMBERS OF THE STONE MASONS are requested to attend the regular meeting of WEDNESDAY EVENING, December 23, in Hi-bernian Hall, Wylle av. Business of importance. dc2z-75

BY ORDER OF TRUSTEES,

PERSONAL. PERSONAL.—Ladies, no medicine, no doctors' bills; on receipt of a 2-cent stamp I will inform you how you an cure yourself at home of all week-nesses, findial blemishes and alth eruptions; also entarge the bust and increase the weight, by a simple and harmless home treatment by which thousands of women in this country and Europe have been made well, beautiful and happy. Address Mrs. Mary K. Bucil, South Bend, Ind.

DERSONAL—Ladies, when you see the Borden (patent) bang you will never again have your own hair cut and destroyed with curling tongs; it is unique and a marvel of beauty; any lady can comb it in with her own hair and dress it in every known siyle. For sale only at Room 294, second floor (Hamilton building), 91 Fifth av. TERSONAL - Get married - Thousands of persons have been married through our agency and we have thousands more registered with us. Send stamp for a sample of our matrimonial paper. Mr. and Mrs. Draks. Chicago, Ill.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

A GENTS or general agent, on salary or commis-sion, to sell our carriage and wagon stoves good for cold rooms, bathrooms, etc. Specialty Co., 420 Smithfield st.,

TINNERS-Two good tinners at once. Apply M. Hass, 2628 Carson st. YOUNG man of good address, and writing a good hand. Address, in own handwriting stating age and salary expected. W. S. P. Dispatch office.

WANTED-Rooms-Three or four rooms which must include the parlor floor, for physician's use; must be fully furnished, and unexceptionally good neighborhood; for the right place a lease will be taken and a good price paid. Address F. D., Dispatch office. For Sale.

Rooms Wanted.

CROCERY-\$1,300 or invoice, doing \$1,500 per T month; interest in drygoods and carpet store, country stores, shoe stores, cigar stores, lunch room, \$550. Percival & Gaston, 450 Grant st. CUBURBAN FARM-\$2.200—1 acres with next 4 room frame dwelling, stable and outbuildings 8 minutes from R. R. station; 30 minutes from P. O.; on Castle Shannon R. R.; first cents: rich nice lying ground; surrounding property laid ou in building lots; terms, \$500 cash, balance as de sired. Burtt & Sweeny, 110 Fourth av.

AUCTION SALE.

AUCTION SALE at the residence. Furniture, carpets, piano and household goods,
WEDNESDAY, December 30, at 10 o'clock, at the residence, Boquet st. in Dimling's row, near Oakland square. Take Fifth ave. and Atwood st. cars.
The furnishment, consisting of chamber suits in oak and walnut, lounge, piano, tables, chans and rockers, parlor furniture, hall-rack, sideboard, extension table, chairs, bedding. Jace curtains, clocks and omaments, dishes, silverware, brussels carpets on rooms, halls and stairs, kitchen and laundry furniture, stoves, etc. House open after 8 o'clock morning of sale.

HENRY AUCTION CO., de27-105

AT AUCTION
FINE FURNITURE, CARPETS, PIANO,
WALL PAPER, TOBACCO, ETC.
Treader, December 99 et 10 cyclock at the Tuesday, December 29, at 10 o'clock, at the come of the Henry Auction Co., 24 and 26 Ninth street.
Fine chamber suites, wardrobes, cheffon iers, couches, tables, chairs and rocker ners, couches, tables, chairs and rockers, parlor suites upholstered in brocatelle tagestry, plush and hair cloth; fine clocks, vases and ornaments, sideboards, extension tables, plano, music box, toiletware, brussels and ingrain carpet for rooms, halls and stairs; also a large lot of wall paper, tobacco and notions, from a store going out of business. Sale positive.

HENRY AUCTION CO., Auctioneers. de27-106 A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE.

But even if you didn't take it in time you DICKSON, THE TAILOR'S. .

65 Fifth av., cor. Wood st., second floor. Mr. Dickson is just in receipt of a nice line of domestic and imported cloths, and extends a cordial invitation to his friends and the public to call and learn prices, etc. Telephone 1558. FIVE DAYS MORE

Byers Extend the \$5 Offer.

Positively the Last Opportunity for Those Who Desira to Avail Themselves of the \$5 Rate for Medicines and Treatment.

One thing should be clearly and distinctly stated at this time. This is positively and unequivocally the last opportunity under \$5 treatment. Patients who desire to take treatment under this offer must avail themselves of it at once. There will be no further extension in time. Drs. Cope and, Hall and Byers have sought to give all an opportunity of availing themselves of this merely nominal rate. They have extended the time three times, and this is the last period in which the offer holds good. All patients being under treatment or placing themselves under treatment before January I, will be at the rate of 35 a month until cured.

A Retired Merchant's Statement. HEAD, STOMACH AND LIVES TROUBLE OF 14 YEARS' STANDING CURED BY DRS. COPELAND, HALL & BYERS. POSITIVELY ONLY FIVE DAYS

HALL & BYERS. POSITIVELY ONLY FIVE DATS MORE OF THE STRATE.

Mr. J. J. O'Donnell, who resides on Kansas street, Twenty-third ward, is a typical goahead business man of the present age, who, in his ambition to excel in the business world, neglects that most priceless jewel, health. Recently he furnished for publication the following statement:



Mr. J. J. O' Donnell, Kansas street.

Mr. J. J. O'Donnell, Kansas street.

"Like many another," says Mr. O'Donnell, "I had a wild ambition to get rich, and worked day and night with that object in view, neglecting exercise, needful sleep and regularity of taking my meals. To this latter I attribute the most of my ills.

"For 14 years my stomach and liver caused me the greatest trouble. During a great part of that time I was compelled to live on liquid food entirely, as solids caused great distress, nausea, vomiting, flathence and the most exeruciating cramps. Vomiting was my only relief from such attacks.

"In addition to my stomach trouble I had a bad taste in my mouth in the morning, a foul, slimy tongue and offensive breath. I also had an almost constant headache and stiffness of my neck.

"Reading of so many remarkable cures by Drs. topeland, Hail and Brers. I determined to consult them, but with little hope of benefit, as I had long since given up that in despair. Their examination and method of handling my case was so thorough and professional it at once inspired me with confidence and I decided to take treatment.

"The results are very decided and satisfactory. All my distressing symptoms have been dispelled, I can eat anything and at any time without fear of after distress, My headaches are gone and I feel perfectly well any time without lear of after distress. My headaches are gone and I feel perfectly well in every respect, with my old-time vigor and ambition reasserting itself. I owe all this to the careful and conscientious treat-ment received at the hands of Drs. Copeland,

Hall and Byers, and cheerfully make this CHRONIC BILIOUSNESS.

The Symptoms When Accompanied by Catarrh. In the practice of a skillful physician there occur many cases where the patients have pains about the chest and sides and some-times in the back. They feel dull and sleepy; times in the back. They feel dull and sleepy; the mouth has a bad taste, especially in the morning. A sort of sticky slime collects about the teeth. The appetite is poor, there is a feeling like a heavy load on the stomach, sometimes a faint, all-gone sensation at the pit of the stomach which food does not satisfy. The eyes are sunken, the hands and feet become cold and feel claumy. After a a time a cough sets in, at first dry, but in a few months it is attended with a greenish colored expectoration. The patient feels tired all the white, and sleep does not seem, to afford any rest. After a time the patient becomes nervous, irritable and gloomy and has evil forebodings. There is a giddiness, a sort of whirling sensation in the head when rising suddenly. The bowels become costive; the skin is dry and hot at times; the blood becomes thick and stagnant; the blood becomes thick and stagnant; the whites of the eyes become finged with yellow; the kidney secretions become scanty and high colored, depositing a sediment after standing. There is frequently a spitting up of the food, sometimes with a sourtaste and sometimes with a sweetish taste;

MAYOR DUNN'S LETTER.

FRANKLIN, PA., November 13, 1891.

Emphatic Statement From Hon, R. W. Dunn, of Franklin, Pa.-Positively the Last Five Days of the \$5 Cff-r.

Drs. Copeland & Hall, No. 66 Sixth avenue, DEAR SIRS-My father died from catarrhal complications. I had been coughing achng, and been converted into a catarrhal nuisance for 10 or 15 years, but was not prepared to learn, till I began treatment with you, that I had catarrh with the grip of a vise, chronic in form, and had attained to the dignity of incipient consumption. I now see what was meant by the night sweats, pain over the eyes, dizzy imazes dancing betimes before my eyes, a cough which for the past year or more has played havoe with my dreams at night and my professional duties in the day. I got so thin that they talked of using me for a skeleton at initiations. I wrote you, began treatment with you, and I just cannot draw a comparison between how I am now and what I was when I began. I sleep well, cannot get enough to cat, feel years younger, and pursue my processional duties with pleasure. I owe it to you. I do not know what other physicians can do, but I do know that I can recommend you in the treatment of seriously chronic catarrn.

Very truly yours, now see what was meant by the night

Home Treatment Endorsements,

MINGO JUNCTION, O., Dec. 7, 1871. Misso Jenchos, O., Dec. 7, 1891.

Dear Sirs—Regarding my condition, would state that I am standing winter's severities better than for times past * * I am well-informed through the pagers of your city the good which you gentlemen are necomplishing daily, and will recommend any of my triends needing treatment to you. I thank you very much for what you did for me. Yours respectfully, George Maybeney.

Hookerstown, Pa., Dec. 10, 1891.

Dra Copeland, Hall & Byers:

Gentlemen—I am highly pleased with the improvement in my case under your treatment, and would recommend any one suffering from catairth to consult you.

Yours truly,

CLARK THOMPSON.

Coatsville, Pa., Dec. 5, 1891.

Drs. Copeland and Hall:

Dear Sirs-I am well and cured of cutarrh, and feel that I owe you a world of gratitude. My trouble was catarrh of the head and stomach. I can now eat my three meals heartly every day and enjoy the same.

Yours respectfully,

ENILE LAMBERT.

Mr. Daniel Truby, McKeesport, says: "Catarh complicated with La Grippe made almost an invalid of me. I would go to my

work so dizzy I was afraid I would fall under the steam and Hall cured me. and Hall cured me."

Mr. Walter hea, Copeland station, Pa.: "I went, after years of suffering, where it seems everybody affliced goes, to Drs. Copeland and Hall, 66 Sixth avenue. The result has been all that I could ask. My symptoms have all passed away. I have plenty of life now."

NEW YEAR'S DAY HOURS.

Drs. Copeland, Hall and Byers Will Keep Their Offices Open From 9 to 11 A. M. and 2 to 4 P. M. on New Year's.

To accommodate many patients who will take advantage of the low rates to visit the city during the holidays, and others emoyed during working days, Drs. Copeland, Hall and Byers will keep their offices open for old and new patients on New Year's Day from 9 to 11 A. M. and from 2 to 4 P. M. Hereafter these hours will apply to all public holidays. During other days the usual hours will be observed.

CATARRH OF HEAD, THROAT AND STOMACH.

nother Instance-Positively Only Five Days More Under Which Patients May

Avail Themselves of the \$5 Offer. "It was about six years ago that I first began to have trouble with my throat and head. My throat would get very dry and sore at night, and my head ached and fels



Affred Nickolds, Recreton Avenue, Mr. Nickolds is an edge tool maker emed at the Iron City Tools Works on ty-second street, and living on Brereton nue, opposite West Penn Hospital. Ity disease grew steadily worse as time

"My disease grew steadily worse as time passed until there was not an hour or a minute in which I did not suffer from it. My head hurt me all the time, and it appears to me I had pains all over me. Mucus would gather in my throat so badly at nights that I was frequently afraid of strangling in my sleep. My head was hadly stopped up:my sight was dim and specks floated before my eyes; I had a continuous buzzing and ringing in ears; my nose was dry and stopped up with scabs, and in the mornings when I would first get up I would have a snapning sort of sensation in my forchead like springs loosening. "The disease affected my stomach and di-

"The disease affected my stomach and digestive organs, and when I would eat the food would lie in my stomach like lead. My howels were budly out of order; my sleep was broken and restless, and when I would get up I felt heavy, dull and more tired than when I went to bed. I had read much of the skill of Drs. Copeland, Hall and Byers, and went to see what they could do for me. They examined my case, and from what they said I knew that they understood what was the matter with me. I had entire confidence in them after a week's treatment, and it has been justified. They have cured me up well and strong. All of my disagreeable symptoms are gone, and I hope that making the fact of my cure public may lead some other sufferer to find relief also."

A PLAIN STATEMENT, In Which the Truth Is Told Without Fear or Favor.

Do Drs. Copeland, Hall & Byers cure all Unquestionably, no. This question has been frequently asked and may as well be squarely answered. In some cases catarrh has been allowed to proceed unchecked so far-reaching and fatally impairing the lungs and causing con

stomach—that medical skill is powerless. In such cases we do not profess to invariably effect a cure. In some cases, where catarrh has not taken such a hold upon the constitution as to prevent the possibility of a radical cure, the patient having began treatment, may ecome careless and negligent, infrequent in his visits and forgetful as to uses of his

causing dyspensia and inflammation of the

obtain a cure.

When the parient fails to come to the When the patient fails to come to the office regularly for treatment for the time he is instructed to come, or does not follow up his treatment regularly and sytematically, we do not profess to be able to cure. We work no miracles and perform no sorceries. We cure catarrh, but it is by patient, regular, systematic and methodical, as well as skillful, treatment. Those who hope to be relieved of this lingering insidious disease in an hour, a day, or a week, need not come to us for treatment.

The fact, however, that we do cure catarrh and often in its serious and advanced stages, when the patients follow their treatment requiarly and faithfully, does not lack a demonstration at this time. The crowds that daily fill our office pariors will testify to this. And more than that, out of the

to this. And more than that, out of the many who have been cured and have will-ingly offered their statements for publicaingly offered their statements for publica-tion, one has been given each week together with the outline of the face and the name and residence. These have not been obscure or unknown people from another city or State, but have been well-known people of this vicinity, and their statements can be easily verified. With all this evidence the sufferer should no longer doubt, but, casting skepticism to the winds, call to see Drs. Copeland, Hall and Byers, and, by carefully following their directions, have his health restored.

restored. Dry. Copeland, Hall and Brers treat suc-Dr. Copeland, Hall and Byers treat suc-cessfully all curable cases at 66 Sixth avenue, Pittsburg, Pa. Office hours, 9 to 11 A. M., 2 to 5 r. m. and 7 to 9 r. m. Sundays 16 A. m. to 4 r. m. Specialties—Caturrh and all diseases of the eye, ear, throat and lungs: dyspepsia curod; 1 e. considerance cured; skin diseases cured, Many cases treated successfully by mail. Send 2-cent stamp for question blank. Address all mail to

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\$1 50, or six for \$7 50.
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Fleming's private stock, full quarts \$2 each. And our line of Imported Scotch and Irish And our line of Imported Scotch and Irish Whiskies that gave such universal satisfaction to all those who wanted something foreign for the holidays, embrace all of the best brands made in other countries. For prices see our new price list.

All orders for any of the above goods shall receive our personal and immediate attention.

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